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BY WILLIAM M'ARTHUR.

Abu Ben Hadar and Muli Ibraham, two camel drivers, were crossing from contrary directions the Desert of Shali, on the way to Shiraz, and met at the Oasis of El Ghoun.

The former, who was the older of the two, had been a slave in the early part of his career, having been captured by pirates; and, after having passed from one master to another, he had at length found himself in Constantinople, where he was held for a time in close servitude by a merchant of that city extensively engaged in commerce; but he had at length contrived to effect his escape, and had made his way after many vicissitudes in a northeasterly direction, where he adopted his present avocation.

Muli, on the other hand, had never since infancy been anything almost but a 'child of the desert.' He was, nevertheless, brought up strictly in the tents of the Koran, of which he was a rigid obserer, and on the present occasion he was glad to meet a man who had seen so much of the outside world.

While the two drivers smoked their narghilies under the palm trees, their camels resting meanwhile in the shade, Abu entertained his young companion with details of what was to be observed beyond the limits of the trackless waste of sand. He told him of the magnificence of Stamboul, which far excelled in all the Shiraz could produce, even as the sun, the monarch of day, outshines the brightness of the pale Queen of night, or as the great star Algor exceeds in dazzling splendor the radiance of the entire cluster of the Pleiades.

'Tell me, O, Father!' said Muli 'something about the forbidden cup of the Giaour.'

'Son,' said the old man, impressively, 'If thou wouldst't prolong thy days and secure the favor of Allah (whose name be ever blessed), shun that cup. Thou hast never, evidently from thy inquiry, seen it, or its effects. The wild beasts that roam at night through the ruins of Persepolis, are not more dangerous to man than it is. The fascinating gaze of the deadly serpent which lureth its victim to destruction while daralizing his every effort to escape is not more certainly perilous. The sirocco, whose deadly blast carryeth with it destruction to man and beast, is mild in its effect when compared with the blight that lies concealed in the accursed wine cup. The carcases that strew the desert, food for its vultures, are mere units to the number of those slain daily by the intoxicating drink. Thou art still young. Let nothing tempt thee—curiosity sometimes may; let nothing induce thee—the invitation of the treacherous Frank often may—to touch, to taste, to handle. I have seen what it can work; therefore, I say be warned!'

The sun had descended some degrees from his meridian altitude when the two camel drivers seperated, each to pursue his monotonous journey.

When Muli arrived at his destination he found awaiting him two officials connected with a British Diplomatic mission, the senior of whom took from a parcel which formed part of the baggage carried by his camel, some important dispatches.

'In the nick of time, Brett,' observed the officer to his friend. 'One day late, and our mission here was useless.'

'How lucky! What a good thing to be able to pluck at the whisker of the Russian Bear.'

'By Jove! I wouldn't have missed this parcel for a deal. We have the ball at our feet now, and our St. Petersburgh neighbors are completely outwitted. We must at once set to work and give Sir George our views by wire from Toublin. It is not too late to checkmate the Russian intrigue.'

'I am at your service, Villers.'

Both officials were versed in the Oriental tongue in which Muli spoke; and, after having commended him for his promptitude, and placed a gold coin in his hand as a gratuity, they directed him to remain until he was rested, and told him they would require him to proceed to Toublin with an important message, which he was to conceal about his person, and which he was not to lose an hour in carrying; and, above all, that secrecy was to be observed.

'I think, Brett,' said Villiers, aside, 'that the fellow deserves share of a bottle of Giesler for his alacrity.'

Major Brett then proceeded to uncork a champagne bottle, and, each gentleman having drank a glass, the Major filled out a bumper for Muli.

'Is it good to take? I have never tasted wine, Effendi.'

'Certainly; take it off while it fizzes. It will do you good.'

'I will drink it, master, on one condition only,' said Muli, 'and that is, that as you say it is not hurtful, you let me have a bottle or two for my next journey.'

'By all means,' was the ready response.

Muli took the glass and said he would drink it outside before starting on the intended journey, leaving the apartment as he spoke.

The spirit of inquiry was now excited in him for a purpose he has in view.

'Say, O friend,' said he to the aged man who stood at the door of the bazaar, 'what effect will the drinking of this wine produce on me?'

'It will make thee merry, and it will make the sad. Thy tongue will be on thy sleeve, and the thing thou shouldst not say will be spoken before thou art aware that the word is uttered.'

This was sufficient for Muli; he simply smeared his face and drenched his clothes with part of the liquor, and spilled what remained on the ground.

When the hour came for loading the camel, Muli found the two English officers ready with their paper. It was written in cipher and was to be carried in the fold of his turban. Few words passed between them. True to their promise as 'gentlemen' they handed Muli two bottles of champagne, while he returned them the empty glass with profound thanks, again wiping his lips.

The camel kneeled, and the driver mounted its back while both officers stood by.

'Now Muli make haste, and mind'—said Major Brett putting his finger to his mouth to enjoin secrecy and wariness.

Judge of the consternation of the two diplomats, when Muli, scarcely had the camel started, gave utterance to an unearthly yell and waved his turban in which the dispatch was concealed, high in the air. Both Brett and Villers looked at each other for a moment in speechless horror, and then shouted after Muli to stop. It was too late, 'the ship of the desert' was going at a pace that defied either of them, even if mounted on race horses, to come abreast of him.

'The fellow is as drunk as a fiddle,' said Villers, mournfully.

'Unquestionably, you see, he wasn't used to liquor. What's to be done? Everything is spoiled if he looses the dispatch, or blabs out where it's hidden.'

Muli stopped when he got about half a mile on his journey, and leisurely dismounted from his camel. The officers, perceiving this, hurried along till they reached him. They found the camel driver seated, legs crosswise, on the sand, endeavoring to open one of the bottles; but the complex mechanism of the wire and capsule was too much for him.

'You drunken scoundrel,' bellowed Villiers, nearly out of puff, as he applied a riding whip, which he carried, to the poor fellow's shoulders. 'What do you mean? Show me the paper I gave you.'

Muli with a vacant stare, took off his turban, but the dispatch was no where to be found in it.

'I have it in my heart, exclaimed Brett, 'to murder you on the spot. Give me back that bottle.'

'I thought,' stammered Muli, 'you told me it would do me good.'

He then fumbled about his breast and pulled out the dispatch, which he had transferred from his turban as he was squatted on the ground, while screened by the camel.

'Can we trust him to proceed on the journey?'

'Certainly not; he'll hand the paper over to the first scout he meets, and tell him where it came from. And now, unfortunately, every hour is of importance. What a mess to be in!'

Muli did not understand the conversation as it was carried on in English; but, untutored as he was, he read the distrust of him in the countenance of both officers. Getting astride the camel, and looking with his wonted intelligence at the Englishmen, he said, addressing Major Brett.

'Effendi, I am ready and able to do your bidding. I tasted not the unhallowed cup, to partake of which would in the case of your humble slave have been a greater evil to him than the loss of that paper to you. You knew not what you were doing when you placed the temptation in my way of giving me first the glassful and next these two bottles. Your message would not have been safe, for the Koran says that 'a drunken mouth is as a babbling brook.' Take them, for Besmillah! I shall never again, as the wise Abu Ben Hadar warned me, touch or handle. Taste I never will.

'We are a nice pair of diplomats truly,' said Villiers, reddening at the rebuke, and handing back the document to the camel driver, 'to bring drink into business.'

'Aye, whether in or out of it,' said the Major, laying about him on the two bottles with the butt end of his whip, 'and when we get back we ought to smash every bottle we have. I'm a total abstainer, as Chinese Gordon was, for life.'

Villiers placed his hand inside the Major's to signify that he was one with him in the resolution.

'Allah be praised!' exclaimed Muli Ibraham, at he watched the breaking of the bottles, and sped on his journey.

Proud of His Sister.

The Chicago TRIBUNE relates the case of a young man who was regarded as a phenomenon, because he took his sister to all the best entertainments, and actually devoted himself to her during the lecture and concert season. Being praised for his unusual attention to his sister, the young man promptly and proudly replied:

"No, there's nothing wonderful nor extraordinary about it. She is the only woman I know in whom I have the most thorough confidence. She is always the same; always pleased and affectionate. To tell you the candid truth, I'm afraid she'll go and marry some of these imitation men around here and be unhappy all her life.

"She has nobody else to look to, and I'll take care she does not have to look to anybody else. I suppose some day a genuine man will come along. If he's a genuine man, I won't object. Until he does come, she's good enough for me; and if ever I find as good a girl, I'll marry her."

The example is most commendable. A young man would do well to seek his sister's society until he finds another lady as good as his sister.

The Knife and Fork.

No question ever had better reasons on both sides than that, whether one sending a plate to be helped a second time should leave the knife and fork on the plate or hold them in the hand. If one sends them with the plate some one is liable to have dropped on the soft spot of his or her head in passing back and forth. They are liable to settle themselves on the exact spot the helper wishes to deposit the article of food sent for; then the helper must remove them or deposit the food on them. If one holds them in the hand while waiting he is in no graceful position. Think of one chatting with a lady beside him about orchids or chrysanthemums, or the Wagner school of music, with a greasy knife and fork in his hand. Then, in which hand shall he hold them? Shall he rest his wrist on the table and violate a rule of long standing? or hold them up as a officer would carry a sword on parade? There are many knotty questions of etiquette, but few more knotty than this.

Required no Soul.

Omaha Theatre Manager—"Want a free pass, eh? I can't see why I should give you a pass."

Seedy Applicant—"I am a tragedian, sir."

"Oh! Come now."

"I played in King Henry, sir, in New York city."

"Humph! You might possibly walk through a part, but a man of your temperament could never put any soul into it, and—"

"I didn't walk through it, sir, and I did put all the soul into the part that it required. Not a paper said otherwise."

"Well! Well! I thought I was a pretty good judge of actors, but—by the way—what part did you play?"

"I played the corpse, sir!"

Water for Stock in Winter.

A large proportion of the food of our animals is used to keep up the temperature of the body to about one hundred degrees. Cold weather, damp barn-yards, cracks in the barns or sheds, want of bedding and exposure to storms, greatly increase the consumption of food to no good purpose. Much more regard is now paid to the comfort of our stock in these respects than formerly. We think, however, many fail to realize the loss of food sustained by compelling animals to drink ice-cold water. Water as it comes fresh from the well has a temperature of about fifty-five degrees When allowed to stand until frozen over and the ice then broken, and pieces of ice suffered to remain in the water, the temperature speedily falls to thirty-five degrees. Experiments are reported which seem to show that it pays to artificially warm the drinking water for milch cows. Be this as it may, no one can doubt that water at fifty-five degrees is cold enough for health. The water that an animal drinks has to be raised to the temperature of its body, say one hundred degrees. And, of course, it requires much more fuel in food to raise a pailful of water from thirty-five degrees to one hundred degrees than a pailful of fresh water from fifty-five degrees to one hundred degrees. If the heat required to warm the pailful of water twenty degrees was derived from hay or straw, or grain, the loss would not in many cases be severely felt. But, as a matter of fact, this heat is obtained from the consumption of fat and flesh, or butter and cheese. This is expensive fuel. We are well aware that it is not always easy to furnish animals water free from ice. We fill the trough with water, and the cows, and sheep, and horses do not drink as much as we expected, and the next morning there is a thick layer of ice upon the water. In such a case, break the ice in as large pieces as possible and pull them out with a potato hook or rake. Do not leave them to melt in the water. Pump plenty of fresh water for the animals.—*American Agriculturist for December.*

Female Vanity Confounded.

A celebrated Parisian belle, who had acquired the habit of whitewashing herself, so to speak, from the soles of her feet to the roots of her hair, with chemically prepared cosmetics, one day took a medicated bath, and, on emerging from it, she was horrified to find herself as black as an Ethiopian. The transformation was complete; not a vistage of the 'supreme Caucasian race' was left. Her physician was sent for in alarm and haste. On his arrival he laughed immoderately, and said: 'Madame, you are not ill; you are a chemical product. You are no longer a woman, but a sulphide. It is not now a question of medical treatment, but of simple chemical reaction. I shall subject you to a bath of sulphuric acid diluted with water. The acid will have the honor of combining with you; it will take up the sulphur, the metal will produce a sulphate, and we shall find as a precipitate a very pretty woman.'

The good-natured physician went through with his reaction, and the belle was restored to her membership with the white race. Young ladies who are ambitious of snowy complexions should remember this, and be careful what powders and cosmetics they use—if they use any at all.—*Journal of Chemistry.*

New Way to Sell Goods.

A new method of selling goods on commission has been discovered. Recently a sale was announced in a private residence in an ultra-fashionable part of the city. The announcement was of small interest, for it was well-known that the house, though pretentious in appearance, was furnished most scantly. What was the surprise of the first strollers-in to find the parlors most exquisitely furnished and fairly a-glitter with costly bric-a-bric and bronzes. The same splendor was repeated in the drawing and dining rooms and bed chambers. Costly rugs lay on the floors; expensive curtains hung at the windows; one and all brought exorbitant prices and reaped a whirlwind of questions. The secret has leaked out. The house was "arranged" for the sale; the goods were loaned by enterprising merchants, and the far seeing head of the house pocketed a neat little sum on the commission principle.—*Philadelphia Times.*

A CHINESE DOCTOR.

A Prescription From a Picturesque Celestial Physician.

Here I was, face to face with the Chinese doctor, whose advertisement was printed in English, but who sadly complicated things by talking the Chinese. I told him that I hadn't learned Chinee yet. His mouth widened into a grin, and he motioned me to a wooden-bottomed chair.

"Chin Foo comee light fwale," he said.

Chin Foo was the interpreter. He came back in ten minutes as happy and dapper a looking Chinaman as ever trotted through Mott street, New York City. Until he came I amused myself critically ogling this physician from the Flowery Kingdom. He was decidedly picturesque. His tall figure was enveloped in a long, loose robe of yellow figured Chinese silk, like the magician's garb in juvenile fairy tales. All but the extreme top of his head was shaven as smooth as a billiard ball. From the crown depended a queue of raven hair, almost as long as the man was tall and braided like a German maiden's locks. From his upper lip dropped a black mustache. The ends were of extraordinary length. But surprising as the moustache looked it wasn't half as strange as his left hand. He had let the nails grow until they were fully an inch in length. They were polished until they glistened. The nails of his other hand were pared close to the finger tips. He leisurely pulled a cigarette of very strong black tobacco as he sat opposite me against the background of brilliant curtains.

"See here, Foo," I said, "I've got malaria. I've had it a long time—a good deal longer than I want it. I'm told your doctor makes a specialty of knocking out malaria in a single round."

"That's right," rejoined Foo, with a grin, "let the doctor feel your pulse."

Foo jabbered to his fantastic principal in Chinese, and held out my hand to him. The long-nailed Celestial took one of my wrists in either hand, pressed his fingers against the pulse, and studied the floor with bowed head in silence so long that I looked quizingly up at Chin Foo and requested an explanation.

"What's the matter with your doctor, Foo?" I said. "Dose the case stagger him? And what in thunder does he want to feel both my pulses for?"

"Oh, that's the regular professional method in China," the dapper little interpreter returned, smiling at my mystification. "He's orthodox as orthodoxy in China can make him. It's a peculiarity of physicians in the Flowery Kingdom to study the beat of both pulses."

The pig-tailed Celestial medicine man looked up from the floor and let go both my wrists as lively as Chin Foo got to the end of his remarks. Then he reached for a pencil and one of the great sheets of yellow paper that were piled high on a red table in front of him.

"He is going to build you a prescription now," Chin Foo said admiringly. "Watch him; it'll interest you."

The prescription was a corker in size. The medicine man began at the upper right hand corner of the big yellow sheet with a jerky sort of scribble that built up curiously Chinese characters in columns of three so fast that I could hardly follow him with my eye. He built other columns under the first one until, after he had been at work something less than five minutes, the Chinese characters were piled up on top of each other in huge rows like the Navarro flats.

"That's all," cried Foo, as with a sigh of relief, I saw the medicine man from Canton drop his pencil and shove over the yellow prescription. "You can get this put up down in Mott street and nowhere else. The doctor's fee is $2, please."

"When you get this medicine you must fix it up into tea, and take half a cupful at a dose three times a day. Half a teacup is rather a small dose, too, for you must remember that the Chinese take their medicine by the wholesale when they take any at all. Their medicines are all allopathic to a heroic extent so far as the consumption of remedies is concerned."

An hour later I found the Chinese pharmacy of Hong Wah, Hoe King & Co., the solitary Chinese drug store of Gotham. It was on the ground floor of a three-story building on the south side of Mott street, that looked very much like a little German grocery decked with no placards. The clerk laid his mammoth pipe carefully aside, with the punk still sticking in the hole in the side, glanced at the prescription and then started to make it up. He drew a handful of what resembled cinnomon sticks from one drawer, and laid them in a big metal scoop. This scoop was fastened on one end of a wooden rod that the clerk held poised in the air by a string. He hung a number of dangling weights on the other end of this astonishing pharmaceutical scale, until, after a tedious delay, he finally struck a balance. Then he dropped the whole thing on the counter and grabbed something else from another drawer. This he weighed in the same tiresome fashion.

There were fifteen or sixteen different and desperate looking drugs or herbs in that big yellow prescription, and when the moon-eyed Mongolian had weighed them all out separately he bundled them all together again in red paper in a package bigger than my head, and an assistant who sat in a far off corner walked over to him, listened to him jabber something in Chinese and said in very fair English: "Dollar and half."

When I got there I dumped the whole pile of medicine, sticks and powders and roots, into a kettle of hot water and boiled them for an hour until they became a tea, as Foo had directed. It was a most villamous and uninviting decoction when I lifted the lid at the expiration of the hour and poured out half a cupful. Long wrestling with the multitudinous aches and paines and ills of life had made me familiar with a varied and terrible series of unsavory medical drinks, but never in my life had I introduced into my poor stomach anything so horrible to the taste as the tea that came of boiling these Chinese drugs and herbs. By a mighty effort I forced the dose down my throat, and kept it there by a heroic and masterful struggle of the will. The nightmare that made my broken slumbers weird and awful was but a trifle compared with the internal commotion that racked my system that night when I was not wrestling with variegated terrors of the nightmare, and in the morning my liver felt as if John L. Sullivan had been using it all night as a sand bag. My spirits were dismal as a November fog, and I felt as if to offer me food were to heap insult upon my misery.

But a wholly unlooked for rise in my spirits followed the tremendous shaking up of my liver. The tea produced a healthy stimulation of the torpid organ that made me feel happy and regenerated for a whole week. And each time thereafter that I made myself temporarily seasick by swallowing the awful stuff the reaction was similarly grateful and invigorating.

What Makes a Home.

I never saw a garment too fine for a man or maid; there was never a chair too good for a cobbler or a cooper to sit in; never a house too fine to shelter the human head. These elements about us, the gorgeous sky, the imperial sun, are not too good for the human race. Elegance fits man. But do we not value these tools of housekeeping a little more than they are worth, and sometimes mortgage home for the mahogany we would bring into it? I would rather eat my dinner off the head of a barrel, or dress after the fashion of John the Baptist in the wilderness, or sit on a block all my life, than consume all myself before I get home, and take so much pains with the outside that the inside was as hollow as an empty nut. Beauty is a great thing, but beauty of garments, house and furniture is a very tawdry ornament compared with domestic love. All the elegance in the world will not make a home, and I would give more for a spoonful of hearty love than for whole shiploads of furniture, and all the upholsterers of the world could gather together.

PROFANE LANGUAGE.

A gentleman should never speak profanely. Beyond any moral objection there may be in profanity, one must remember that it is liable to grate on the feelings of another. Sir Isaac Newton, one of the greatest minds the world has produced and most far seeing into the works of the Creator, is said to have never mentioned the deity without raising his hand to his head in token of reverence. If Newton did not think himself competent to speak profanely of the creator or the universe, it is not likely that there are others who may, with safety, consider themselves at liberty to do so.

Dick Agrees to Do His Best.

Young Winks—"Dick, my boy, will your sister Nellie be at home this evening?"

Little Dick—"Guesso."

"It's only a night or two since I called, but I'd like to call again this evening if I thought she'd be at home. Here's some candy for you, Dick."

"Thanks awfully."

"Now, Dick, I want you to be a good little friend of mine."

"Well, I'll be careful not to let her know you're coming."

No Place Like Home.

"Why," asked the teacher, "did Payne write 'There's No Place Like Home?'" "Because," replied the smart bad boy, "it was the truth. He had no home, and of course there was no place like a place that wasn't anywhere." And the teacher started to mark him zero, but stopped and got to thinking and thinking, and finally told him that wasn't correct, and marked him perfect.—Burdette.

THE conductor exclaimed angrily: "Here, don't do that. You're ringing the bell at both ends of the car." "That's all right. Bedad, an' I want both ends of the car to shtop."

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SHAMOKIN, Pa., Dec. 5. The nature of the Grand Army of the Republic precludes the possibility of its existence beyond the present generation. Several of the Posts in Eastern Pennsylvania own valuable property, and how to make a satisfactory disposal of it has been considered for some years. Lincoln Post, of this town, at its last meeting established a precedent, which will be generally followed. The Post will be changed to a dual organization by the incorporation of all members into an open house association. At the end of 15 years the property, which will be worth $75,000, will be divided between existing members of the Post and the children of members who shall have died.

An End to Bone Scraping.

Edward Shepherd, of Harrisburg, Ill., says: "Having received so much benefit from Electric Bitters, I feel it my duty to let suffering humanity know it. Have had a running sore on my leg for eight years; my doctors told me I would have to have the bone scraped or leg amputated. I used, instead, three bottles of Electric Bitters and seven boxes Bucklen's Arnica Salve, and my leg is now sound and well."
Electric Bitters are sold at fifty cents a bottle, and Bucklen's Arnica Salve at 25c. per box by J. Eisenhuth.

Found Dying in His Yard.

Ezra D. Parker, the Most Prominent Member of the Juniata Bar.

MIFFLINTOWN, Dec. 3.—Ezra D. Parker, Mifflintown's most prominent citizen, was found about eight o'clock last evening at the foot of the steps in the back yard of his residence in a semi-unconscious condition. He had left a neighbor's house but a short time before and was unable to gain an entrance to his home before his sickness overtook him. Members of his family heard the noise of his falling, and on going to the door found him unable to move. He was carried into the house and immediate attention given him and medical aid summoned, but he gradually sank until ten o'clock this morning, when he breathed his last. His death was caused by an attack of apoplexy.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the past few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years Doctors pronounced it a local disease, and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment pronounced it incurable. Science has proven Catarrh to be a constitutional disease, and therefore requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only constitutional cure now on the market. It is taken internally in doses from ten drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly upon the blood and mucus surface of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circular and testimonials. Address,
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Another Bridge Jumper.

Michael Hess Makes the Leap for $25 and Then Gets Drunk.

NEW YORK, December 4.—Another Fourth ward man to-day jumped from the Brooklyn bridge into the East river. The affair was kept secret and the facts did not leak out until late this afternoon.

Michael J. Hess, a laborer, living on Oak street, was the hero. For a wager of $25 he made the leap. He was picked up by a friend, who was waiting in a boat. Hess was unconscious. He was rowed ashore and carried to a saloon, where stimulants were poured down his throat.

He revived from the shock and said that in the period between leaving the bridge and striking the water he was not conscious. Hess left the saloon and walked through the streets in his wet clothes to his home. He drank more whisky and got into bed very drunk. He is now doing well.

—DO NOT crucify the children by compelling them to take the horrible, nauseous compounds usually sold as worm medicines, many of them as worthless as they are obnoxious, but get a box of McDonald's Celebrated Worm Powders. Purely vegetable. So easy and pleasant to take that the children will never know a medicine is being administered. You will in addition secure the very best vermifuge possible to produce. So sure are we of this that in all cases of failure to cause expulsion where worms exist we cheerfully agree to refund the purchase price. One box of McDonald's Worm Powders guaranteed equal to four bottles of any worm syrup.
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ON Monday the forty-ninth Congress assembled at Washington in its second and last session which will only last three months. Of these the customary holiday vacation must be deducted so that actually only eleven weeks remain for its work. This is very little time, yet a good deal may be done if congress applies itself to its duties with a will. In another place we give an article which makes mention of the first and most important bills demanding the attention of the house.

PRESIDENT Cleveland's message, which was sent to both houses of Congress on Monday afternoon, is a production indicative of broadest statesmanship. We are only sorry that the columns of the JOURNAL do not afford the space to give the document in full. The President discusses the vital national questions in sections beginning with a full explanation of the relations of the United States with foreign countries. A summary of the receipts and expenditures of the Treasury Department is the next item of interest in as much as it plainly shows that under a Democratic administration the service has been done honestly and economically. On the tariff question he takes a firm and unmistable position and lays down plans which if followed can not fail to bring about a reform of the present unreasonable revenue system, a reform which the whole country demands. He denounces in plain terms a system which unneeessarily draws milllions from the people annually at the cost of their industry and business enterprises and advises a speedy change. He touches upon civil service reform and his remarks in that line give no uncertain sound. He is determined to stand by his former promises and declares that a reform of this kind is an absolute necessity. He also recommends a rapid process of training and educating the Indians, pointing out the fact that civilization and barbarism cannot exist together. In short the message covers the ground in every respect, gives valuable advise and suggests remedies for existing evils.

THE almost certain choice of State Treasurer Quay to the United States Senate, now that the Democratic, as well as the Republican counties are quoted as indorsing him, will leave a vacancy at the head of the Commonwealth's exchequer. How this is to be filled and by whom is a subject of query. The manner of filling the office is explained by section 8 article 4 of the State Constitution, which provides that the Executive shall nominate a proper person to the Senate to fill the vacancy, this body having the power of confirmation. The section also provides that a person shall be chosen at the next general election to fill the office, unless the vacancy occur within three calendar months immediately preceeding such election. As a State Treasurer would have been chosen anyhow in 1887, the term being but two years, the calling of Quay to a higher honor will not necessitate extra convention work. Who his successor will be is a matter within the breast of the Governor-elect, General Beaver. Quay's active competitors for the nomination in 1885 were Ex-State Senator Jacob H. Longenecker, of Bedford, and James A. McDevitt, of Lancaster, formerly of Pittsburg, the latter a chum of Chris L. Magee's, with whom he used to make "mud-pies" in his boyhood days. McDevitt is hardly widely known enough to receive the call for the appointment, although Magee will undoubtedly press him before next summer's convention for the place. As in the late Congressional struggle in the Seventeenth district Ex-Senator Longenecker was unsuccessful, it is presumed he

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Congress Ready to Begin Work Without Delay.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—At the first blush of the session members of the House come in with the idea that they are going to do considerable work during this short session. Those who want to reform the tariff are particularly eager and energetic. Each man who has his pet project hopes to get some action on it. Some of the old heads predict that there will be no legislation to speak of this winter beyond the passage of the appropriation bills. Others equally as old and wise say that as a matter of fact there is more chance for work during a short than a long session, and they expect to be very active from now until the 4th of March. A great part of the long session is wasted in committee work. Now this work is all done, and everything is ready to go ahead with. The Ways and Means Committee men are bound to have a tariff fight. The strong position taken by the President on that question has given them new courage. They insist that a tariff for revenue only must be the cry. Straight issue must be made, and all who cannot stand under that banner cannot march in their lines. They were never more determined. They will start the fight almost at once. The committee on Public Lands expect to get some of their measures through. The committee on Agriculture will try to pass the department of Agriculture and Labor bill, and expect to succeed. It is already a special order, with but 40 minutes debate pending on it, and that at the disposal of the Chairman of the committee, Mr. Hatch. He said to-day that he expected to get about four-fifths of the votes of the House for it. Mr. Crisp expects to get the Union Pacific Railroad Extension bill through the House among the first things, and Mr. Reagan expects a successful issue of the conference on the Inter-State Commerce bill. The committees on Coinage, Weights and Measures, and on Banking and Currency, expect legislation upon matters of finance. Altogether the members have come back free and ready for work, with no fear of a campaign before them.

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Miscellaneous News.

Her False Teeth in Her Stomach.

PATTERSON, N. J., Dec. 7.—Mrs. Henry Lowe, of 247 River street, while drinking a glass of water last Friday afternoon, loosened a gutta percha plate with five false teeth, and they slipped down her throat. The physician, in trying to get the plate out of the throat moved it so that it slipped into her stomach. It is now proposed to remove the teeth by the operation of opening the stomach, and the doctors say that if this is not done speedily Mrs. Lowe will die of inflammation.

—SOMETHING more or less than five thousand different liver pills are on the market. Some good, some indifferent, many bad and worthless. Life is too short to try them all, so if you want to be absolutely sure you are right get McDonald's Improved Liver Pills, and if you are not satisfied with the amount of benefit received you get your money back.
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A Girl Accidentally Shot.

The following accident which happened at Reading on last Saturday shows how dangerous it is to have loaded firearms lie around the house carelessly, and it should serve as a warning to those who are in the habit of doing so. Miss Ida Neiman went to a closet in the residence of her father, Jacob A. Neiman, on North Eighth street, to secure an article of clothing, when a self-cocking revolver that lay on a shelf was accidentally discharged. The ball entered her face below the eye, causing a serious and probably fatal wound. Drs. Wenger and Weidman have thus far been unable to extract the bullet.

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Corn	40—45
Rye	50
Oats white	25
Buckwheat	50
Flour, Roller	1.40
Salt, per barrel	1.40
Plaster, ground	9.00
Cement, per bushel	9
Barley	40
Timothyseed	1.25
Flaxseed	1.00
Cloverseed	4.00-4.50
Butter	18
Hams	10
Sides	6
Veal	
Pork	4
Beef	5
Eggs	20
Potatoes	35
Lard	6

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" " Nut	4.75
" " Pea	3.50
" " Soft g-ated	2.50

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EXECUTORS' NOTICE.—The undersigned, having been granted letters testamentary on the estate of Samuel Weiser, Sr., late of Millheim Borough, deceased, hereby request all persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the same to present them duly proven for settlement.
H. H. WEISER, } Executors.
47-6t W. R. WEISER, }

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.—Settlers testamentary on the estate of George Edgar, late of Penn township, deceased, having been granted to the undersigned, all persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the same to present them duly proven for settlement
45-6t. JACOB W. MOYER, Executor.

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Published by R. A. BUMILLER.

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—SUBSCRIBE for the JOURNAL.

—Buy your Holiday Goods a Kauffman's.

—First-class job work done at the JOURNAL office.

—Jacob Bartley on North street has nearly recovered from his recent illness.

—A fine show case for sale, very cheap. Inquire at the Journal Store.

—Look out for the new stock of Glass and Queensware at J.W.Stover's.

—J. F. Torbert, of Williamsport, was a caller at the JOURNAL office last Thursday.

—Regular monthly meeting of Millheim B. & L. Association next Monday evening.

—For all these articles D S Kauffman & Co. have the best assortment and lowest prices.

--The Lutherans have weekly rehearsals for their coming Christmas entertainment.

—The entertainment of the U. B. Sunday School will be held on Friday (Chistmas eve.)

—Lancaster Almanacs. English and German, at the Journal Store on Penn street, at 5 cents.

—Rev. C. F. Deininger's house on Main street, now occupied by Geo Buck, is for rent.

—Charles A. Rachau, one of our Rebersburg subscribers, made us a pleasant call on Friday.

—Fisher'sCharmProcess and Kurtz's Callalily Roller Flour at Stover's grocery on Main Street.

—Editor Kurtz, of the Centre Hall *Reporter* was in town on Saturday and a caller at this office.

—The supporting posts on the ground floor of the Knitting factory are being placed in position.

—A. F. Harter suffered from a painful carbunkle on his neck for the past week. It is getting better.

—4½, 5½, 6 and 7 cts. paid for hides or in exchange for leather, by
47-4t A. J. HARTER, Millheim, Pa.

—Mr. Charles *Weiser*, after a week's stay with relations in this place, has returned to his home in Burbank, Ohio.

The fact that you read the newspaper is evidence that you desire to keep posted up in what is going on. This paragraph is to inform you that **Dreydoppel's Borax Soap** is the best soap made in America. Try it.

—Remember that Stover's store on Main street is still headquarters for fine and cheap groceries and confectioneries.

—Prof. Kleckner, of Coburn, expects to hold a musical convention at Logansville, Clinton county, during the holidays.

—This is great Underwear weather.
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—Hood's Sarsaparilla, acting through the blood, reaches every part of the system, and in this way positively cures catarrh.

—Messrs. Muttersbough & Zerbe, dealers in horses, succeeded in disposing of a number of horses at their public sale last week.

—Benj. Smith, of the firm of J. R. Smith & Co., of Milton, was in town on Monday to put up the handsome chandelier in the Methodist church.

—The good sleighing and fair weather brought a large number of farmers to town on Saturday and our merchants consequently had a little harvest.

—Our band is arranging to sell their instruments at reduced rates with a view of raising the balance of funds necessary to purchase a new set of horns.

—Yesterday forenooon Lewis Tobias vacated his late residence, Miss Lydia Musser's house on North street, and moved into the house of John Swartz, deceased.

—Among our new advertisements this week will be found the Fall and Winter announcement of Messrs. Durham Bros. & Co., the wide awake merchants Coburn.

—The kind of weather we have had for the past few weeks brings the tramps to the cities and towns by the hundreds and the influx proves a decided "nuisance" to the public.

—Your special attention is called to the fact that Durham Bros. & Co., Coburn, Pa. allow a discount of 5 per cent. on all cash purchases exceeding $1.00—excepting on Sugars and Coffee.

—According to previous announcement Rev. Deitzler held communion services in the Lutheran church last Sunday afternoon and about fifty communicants partook of the Lord's supper.

—Edmund Blanchard, Esq., one of Bellefonte's most prominent lawyers, and who has also for a number of years been attorney for the Pennsylvania Railroad, is afflicted with a malady of the heart. His attending physicians are apprehensive of the worst results He is confined to his room and unable to do business.

—J. Eisenhuth, Esq., left on Tuesday morning for Philadelphia, where he intends to buy his holiday goods. By all appearances the town will be well stocked with "*Kristkindels*," this year.

EVERYTHING.—*When* we say "everything" we mean everything. *Everything* in the line of general merchandise, *everything* of best quality, *everything* the lowest in yrices. D. S. Kauffman & Co., *Millheim*, Pa.

—Owing to sickness Prof. A. Bierly was unable to meet his singing class in this place on last Saturday evening. He expects to be on hand next Saturday evening when the members of the class are requested to be present.

--Among our callers this week were Geo. Bower, of Aaronsburg, and Cyrus Zeigler and Nathaniel Bowersox, of Wolfe's store. All these gentlemen are regular JOURNAL subscribers and we are always delighted to meet them.

—The *Keystone* is a new Saturday newspaper which will be started at Williamsport by Elmer E. Burlingame, tne present editor of the Williamsport *Breakfast Table*. It is proposed to make it a first-class, live and progressive paper.

—On Friday Mrs. James Brewster, of Philipsburg, committed suicide by taking some poison. She also gave portions of the poison to her three children, one of whom is expected to die. She was subject to fits of melancholy.—*Bellefonte Daily News.*

PRIVATE SALE.—The property of John Swartz, Sr., late of Millheim, deceased, on North street, is offered for sale from now until January 1st, next. If not sold then, it can be rented for the year 1887. Apply to or address
GEO. W. SWARTZ, Executor,
47-3t Lewistown, Pa.

—Mrs. J. P. Harris, of Bellefonte, and Mrs. Morrison, of Newton Hamilton, Pa. were the guests of Mrs. B. O. Deininger, Main street, last Thursday afternoon. The ladies were here in the interest of the W. C. T. U. in which organization they are active and zealous leaders.

—It affords us pleasure to say that our charitably disposed people have again opened their hands to lend help to the needy and distressed. This evening a large party will visit the home of Sadie Adams, on North street, to lighten the burdens of the patient sufferer by a liberal donation of the necessaries of life. A very commendable act.

—Yesterday afternoon Fred and Bob, the twin sons of John D. Foote, deceased, late of *Millheim*, were taken to Philadelphia under the care of our townsmen A. Walter and J. F. Harter. The boys will enter Girard College, an institution well known for its superior advantages in training and educating orphan children.

—*Mr.* Wm W. Bell, of Pleasant Gap, gave this office a business call on Tuesday afternoon. He is attorney for the estate of the late John R. Bell, of Aaronsburg, and will sell the real estate of decedent, consisting of the town property and several tracts of valuable mountain land, as well as some personal property, on Monday December 27th, at one o'clock, p. m.

—DRESSMAKING has become somewhat of an art in these times of intricate fashions but by all reports from reliable sources Mrs. John Kerstetter, on Penn street, one of the several good dressmakers in town has fully mastered the art and holds a place in the front ranks. Her work is said to be first-class in fit, neatness and durability and none need be afraid to give her a trial.

—We understand that the Lutheran Sunday school at Aaronsburg is arranging to perform a very attractive and suitable cantata at their Christmas entertainment. We have not the least of a doubt that it will be rendered in excellent style, as the school is fortunate in having some splendid musical material. From what we hear Millheim expects to be strongly represented to witness the exercises.

—The I. O. of G. T., of Millheim, will hold a festival in the skating-rink on New Year's afternoon and evening. The refreshments will be ice cream, oysters, and cake. The amusement of a cake-walk will be extended to all. A cordial idvitation is extended to every one.

H. K. LUSE,
MRS. J. F. HARTER,
" J. W. LUSE,
M. C. GEPHART,
GEO. BUCK,
} General Com.

REDEDICALION.—The reopening of the M. E. Church at Millheim, will take place on Dec. 11th and 12th. Rev. Geo. Leidy, Presiding Elder of the Altoona District, and Rev. E. J. Gray D. D. President of the Williamsport Dickinson Seminary will be present to preach, and conduct the services. All neighboring Pastors and their congregations are cordially invited to be present on the occasion.
ISAAC HECKMAN,
Pastor.

—The engineer corps engaged in making surveys for a railroad from Mill Hall through Nittany Valley are still at work driving stakes and locating the route. Farmer Wallace Brown was in town Friday and as he warmed himself at the Irvin House gave it as his opinion that the men are locating the line of the Watsontown and Bellefonte road, which he thinks will come through Sugar Valley to Mill Hall, via the Washington Furnace route.—*Lock Haven Express.*

LOST.—A small black dog, with only a white spot on his breast, and of the rat terrier species, belonging to S. K. Faust, of Spring Bank, is running at large. Information of the dog's whereabouts will be thankfully received by the owner.

—A. Harter, our former fellow-citizen, now a resident of Logansville, Clinton Co., is confined to a sickbed with an attack of typhoid fever. His son George carries the mail between this point and Sugar Valley during Mr. Harter's sickness Hope Abs will soon recover his health.

—On Friday evening the Journal store man returned from Philadelphia where he had bought a large stock of the very latest holiday novelties which arrived this week and are being tastily arranged upon the shelves of his store on Penn street. See Journal store column and call on him.

—The attention of our readers is directed to the new advertisement of D. S. Kauffman & Co. appearing in another column of this week's JOURNAL. The firm is well known for their enterprise and push and their stock generally goes to show that what they advertise is true to the letter. Read it.

—Attend the dedication of the M E. church next Sunday and do not forget to bring some cash along—the more of that the better. The services promise to be of great interest. A children's meeting will be held in the afternoon and a general invitation to take part in these exercises has been issued.

—*Mrs.* Grow, of Brookville, Ill., who has been visiting her brother, *Mr.* Henry T. Zerby, in Haines township, for the last three weeks, called at this office yesterday and engaged the Journal to be sent to her for a year. She is making preparations te return to her western home in about a week.

—The recent earthquakes were occasioned by our extremely low prices. Not that our low prices have anything to do with this mundane sphere, but they compelled other dealers to shake. Hence the analogy: We simply defy competition in price, quality and quantity of our goods. D S Kauffman & Co.

—As the holidays are coming and with it the end of 1886, let those of our subscribers who are in arrears on their paper for '86, '85, '84 and even '83, remember that the printer needs money in order to pay for material, rent, help, &c., &c., &c. Please pay up. We must have a pecuniary lift by end of this month.

—Bills will be issued from this office to-day advertising the real estate of Samuel Weiser, Sr., late of Millheim, dec'd, at public sale, which will take place at the late residence of decedent Saturday, Jan. 8th, at one o'clock, p. m. The old homestead on Main street and several valuable building lots will then be offered for sale.

—A letter to our townsman, Daniel Hoy, from his son-in-law W. H. Weaver, at McAlevy's Fort, Pa., states that the Green Lee Mills at that place, being run by Mr. Weaver, was totally destroyed by fire last Friday night. Loss between $4000 and $5000, with little insurance. All the grain, flour, chop, &c. in the mill was burned.

—Jacob Coleman, residing with his son at Fowler, Pa., died last Thursday at the age of 64 years, 10 months and 10 days. Deceased has been an invalid since 1861, during which time he has been helpless as a child. Death was indeed a relief to this sufferer. His remains were buried in the Lutheran cemetery at Aaronsburg last Monday.

—Maj. J. Frank Miller, of Berrysburg, Dauphin Co., Pa., is at present stopping at the Musser House and is canvassing this vicinity with Manning's Illustrated Stock Doctor and Live Stock Encyclopedia, a very valuable and convenient book for farmers. He also carries a copy of Grant's Memoirs, published by Hubbard Bros., Phila.

—A GOOD NURSE should not hesitate to wait upon those ill with such diseases as Small-pox, Cholera or Scarlet Fever. There is little to be feared by persons waiting on the sick if they will use Darbys Prophylactic Fluid freely. In sick-rooms it should be exposed on a plate or saucer, and the patient sponged off with the Fluid diluted. For safety, cleanliness and comfort in the sick-room the Fluid is indispensable.

CARD OF THANKS —To all the persons representing the different churches of Millheim who visited my residence on Main street on last Thursday evening, taking us completely by surprise and leaving fifteen dollar's worth of goods for the preacher and his family, I hereby tender my sincere and hearty thanks; and I also wish to say to them the expression of their good will to the Master and His cause, made in so substantial a manner, awakens deep gratitude in my heart, enlists my prayers on their behalf and cannot fail to return in blessing on their head.
C. WORTMAN.

—The Holiday week will be a full week for entertainments and festivals in this place. Besides the entertainments of the U. B. and Lutheran Sunday schools already announced for Christmas eve and evening, the Evangelical school will also celebrate Christ's birth appropriately on New Year's eve. The stock company of the *Millheim* Knitting *Mills* expect to hold a festival on Christmas and day before the proceeds of which will be for the benefit of the Hosiery factory. The Good Templar lodge has already set the time for their festival. Persons coming to town during that favorable season will consequently have all opportunities to amuse themselves in a profitable and pleasant way. Of course we expect the band will not fail to highten the pleasures of that season by some of their excellent music.

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—In pursuance of its annual custom the Pennsylvania Railroad Company announces that Christmas and New Year excursion tickets will be sold between all the principal ticket stations on the main line and branches. The holiday season is the one period of the year most exclusively devoted to the interchange of social visits and the enjoyment of pleasure trips. In order to encourage this custom and to offer all possible benefit to those who desire to indulge in holiday pleasures and festivities, the Company reduces the rates during the favored period. Excursion tickets will be sold on Dec. 23d, 24th, 25th, 30th, and 31st, 1886, and Jan. 1st, 1887, good to return until Jan. 4th, inclusive.

—On Saturday when John Confer and Dave Stoner brought the heavy floor sills for the Knitting factory from Cassler's saw mill they met with considerable difficulty in making the turn at John Kerstetter's alley, Penn street. The rear part of Confer's load downed part of J. D. Lose's fence on the opposite side of the road but finally the teamster succeeded in getting the lumber safely on the ground. Next came Dave and proposed to do up the job in a neater and more expeditious manner. But lo, he had hardly proceeded five or six yards when the chain which fastened the load to the front part of the sled broke and Dave's load was unloaded right across the turnpike. Of course the timbers had to be dragged to its destination piece by piece. Both teamsters felt relieved when it was over.

—On Saturday, December 18th, there will be a meeting of the the General Council of the Aaronsburg charge of the Ev. Luth. church in Trinity Congregation at Coburn. The committee on programme has agreed upon the following:

Morning Session: Opening with the usual religious services. Business of Council. 11 o'clock, a. m.—Discussion, (Topic-"Council Meeting, Duty of members to attend," H. E. Duck.) Adjourn 11.30 a. m.

Afternoon Session: Opening with religious services. Unfinished business, if any, continued. Discussion, (Topic-"Claims of the Sabbath School upon members of the church," W. H. Stover.) Discussion, (Topic-"The Relation and Duties of the Council to the congregation," B. O. Deininger.) Adjourn 4 p. m.

The public is cordially invited to attend the discussions of the council, while members of the congregation are specially urged to attend.
Committee on Programme.

G. A. R.—Lieut. W. W. Bierly post of this place had their regular semi-monthly meeting last Monday evening in their newly furnished hall on Main street. Adjt. W. A. Tobias kindly gave us an opportunity to take a look at their quarters. The room has indeed a very handsome appearance. A new and elegant carpet covers the floor, several neat stands, a large number of nice chairs, a secretary's desk and a good-sized stove compose the furniture and a number of appropriate pictures and other articles of decoration will be added in a few days. We are safe to say that their hall is one of the cosiest and most attractive in the county and we do not wonder that the members find great pleasure in meeting together in such a place. They had election of officers which resulted as follows: Commander, O. W. VanValin; S. V. Com., Wm. Burd; J. V. Com., L. J. Noll; Q. M., M. M. Musser; Adj't., W. A. Tobias; Serg., John M Road; O. of Day, W. H. Cassler; O of G., J. Sylvis; Chap., F. F. Wetzel; S. M., S. D. Musser; Q. M. S., H. J. Crouse; Ord Off., David Wance.

O. W. Van Valin and W. A. Tobias were elected delegates to Dept. Encampment to be held at Harrisburg Feb. 8 & 9, 1887. Alternate W. H. Cassler. Trustees of Post; M. M. Musser, Henry Meyer and J.W.Snook. Trustee of Relief Fund, M. M. Musser.

Neighboring News.

COBURN.

And now the merry jingle of the sleigh bells is heard.

Nothing of importance transpired in our village during the week.

On Sunday last Capt. Rook and family of the National and Ale Long and family of the mammoth store, Millheim, drove through our village and spent an hour or two at the residence of W. H. Kremer.

Are we to have a singing convention here? is being talked up some now. As our neighbor villages are organizing classes we should be able to maintain one also.

The station at Cherry Run has been moved to Paddy mountain tunnel, and an agent will be appointed there shortly. This will be a great convenience, as a great amount of travel and shipping is done from that point.

Mrs. W. H. Kremer was visiting friends in Mifflinburg last week.

The Ladies' Mite Society of the Lutheran church met at the residence of W. H. Kremer on Wednesday evening.

Our Post Master, R. F. Vonada, spent last Tuesday in Milton.

Mr. John Bowersox was suddenly taken very sick on Wednesday but at this writing is some better.

Our school is well attended and all the children seem to like the teacher, Mr. Finkle, very much. VALE.

PENN HALL.

Sleighing is good.

Squire Hering had been called to Bellefonte last week to attend a law suit.

N. S. Weaver has recently purchased a new stock of cigars. Now boys if you want a good smoke, call on Nute.

We are glad to say that in the last week our town has not been disturbed by the noise of old band horns and hope it will remain so in the future.

A Debating Society was organized last Friday evening and the following business was transacted: Election of officers, Pres., D. G. Smith; Vice Pres., F. M. Fisher; Sec'y., C. F. Musser; Tre's., Woodward Mark. Subject for debate for next evening, Resolved that fire is more destructive than water. Society to meet every Friday evening. DENVER DAN.

AARONSBURG.

News are scarce this week.

Plenty of snow and good sleighing.

Aaron Weaver of east Aaronsburg killed a porker last week which weighed 514 pounds.

Our day schools are progressing very finely. We do not hear of the usual difficulties between teachers and scholars.

Mr. John Bright, whose sickness was mentioned in last week's JOURNAL, is better at this writing.

Rolland Wyle, who was detained for several days in Ohio by sickness on his way home from Wisconsin, arrived here last week, looking fresh and hearty.

The Aaronsburg singing class is at a dead stand still. There is certainly a lack of energy with one or more of the parties concerned.

Charles H. Stover was obliged to enlarge his business room in order to make a better display of his stock of confectioneries, &c., which is daily increasing. Whoop her up, Charley, *ducks are up.*

Our goose town butchers killed four beeves on last Monday, the largest weighing nearly 900 pounds when dressed.

The writer was lately informed that Mr. J. Wilson Russel, now living on Mr. Slifer's farm at Lewisburg, will move on Mrs. J. G. Meyer's farm below town next spring. Glad to see Wilson come back.

The Lutheran Sunday school of this place will give a free public entertainment on Christmas eve (Friday evening) before Christmas. The principal part of the evening's exercises will be a Cantata in two acts, the title of which is 'The Message of Christmas," by Fanny E. Newberry, music by Martin Brown. Of course Santa Claus has promised to be there and do his share of the work, namely: distribute the good things to the school. Look out, boys and girls, old Santa is a tricky fellow sometimes.

On the following evening, namely Christmas evening, the public generally are invited to come to the Reformed church where an ever green tree laden with good things to eat will be placed before the audience for inspection. Of course Santa has been engaged for the evening and will keep a sharp eye on the tree and in due time disburden the tree and distribute the gifts to their proper places. Mr. J. G. Meyer has prepared and arranged an anthem in two parts expressly for this occasion.
ANOTHER.

MADISONBURG.

Mr. John Ocker expects to leave town by next spring and go to farming for his father-in-law, Mr. Lose.

Miss Annie Feidler started for Bellefonte on Wednesday morning, where she expects to spend the greater part of the winter with her brother, the *Keystone Gazette* man.

On last Saturday evening there was a double surprise party at the lower end of town. About twenty-five or thirty of our young lads, fully equipped with bells, tin pans, &c., started down town to serenade the supposed bride and groom. The lads stopped in front of the hotel and when the word was given the boys did their level best to make the greatest possible noise. That was a surprise to the inmates of the building, but the next instant the young lads were surprised when the supposed groom came to the door and told them that he would have them arrested on Monday morning. I don't think that an explosion of a can of dynamite could have dispersed the crowd any sooner. Boys, Elias is too old to have sport with.

William Bierly spent Saturday and Sunday at home.

The New York clothing man can not excite Madisonburg folks by ringing a tea bell. He must resort to other methods.

Charley Grimm was around putting up door bells the other day. He was assisted by S. B. Shafer and in a very short time had three in their places.

Adam Vonada shot a wild turkey the other Sunday morning.

Albert Klinefelter, of Poe Mills, better known as "Shitey," spent Saturday night and Sunday with A. Ocker.

John B. Shafer killed the boss calf. It was four weeks old and dressed 165 pounds. STILL ANOTHER.

REBERSBURG.

Julius Weidenheimer, of Philadelphia, is at present sojourning in our town. He is making good use of his time in selling watches, etc.

The other day Wm. Kreamer killed a hog which had four kidneys. Who ever heard of the like. But the butchers are willing to vouch for the truth of it.

Charley Swiget, of Tyrone, passed through town last Saturday with a fine drove of mules. He stopped a few days with Wm. Bair and did some trading.

Several weeks ago while Daniel Weaver was putting up stove pipe he received a slight bruise on the top of his hand, which afterwars turned out to be a very bad sore. Amputation of the hand was once thought necessary, but we are glad to mention that now the wound is slowly healing.

Jacob Shultz sold his farm, now occupied by his son John, to John Royer, of Snyder county, and Reuben Smull, of Rockville, at $72 per acre. Mr. Smull takes 27 acres of the northern part of the farm.

The other day Morris Gilbert shot a wild turkey at a distance of 300 yards. Morris is a crack marksman.

The protracted meeting which is in progress at Brumgart's church and is conducted by Rev. Lenhart, is still in progress with good success.

Miss Maggie Kreamer has returned home from her extended visit through several of the western states. On her journey she stopped at some of the largest cities in the West.

John Zeigler left on last Tuesday for Farmville, Virginia, where his parents reside. After a two weeks stay he will return to his home in Brushvalley.

On last Saturday the sad news reached this place of the death of Abner Gramley, a son of Benj. Gramley, now residing at Kaneville, Ill. Mr. Gramley formerly resided in this valley and his son Abner will be remembered by many of our young folks to whom he paid an extended visit several years ago, when he gained many warm friends while sojourning here. Abner died of consumption, being only 26 years old.

Philip Hubler attended the horse sale at Millheim last Thurday and returned home with a fine gray horse which he had bought. Philip believes in keeping blooded stock. SQUIBOB.

SMITH TOWN.

Snow and good sleighing, but cold as Greenland.

Winter, the farmers' holiday season is here.

Philip *Musser* sold his champion horse. He says he could not drive him.

Last week John Kimport moved into his new house. He consequently feels as happy as a bird and so does ——.

We heard it said that Mr. Baily, of Aaronsburg, bought J. H. Reifsnyder's farm, situate on the south side of the turnpike. This is the farm on which new buildings have been erected lately.

The water pipes running to Grossman's were frozen shut for two days and *Mr.* Grossman was obliged to take his live stock to the old watering place.

Last Friday two smart (?) young fellows shot through a window pane at *Mr.* Smith's with a revolver. The bullet lodged in the wall. There was fortunately nobody in the house and that is one reason why the boys got through the scrape so easy. But it will be better for them not to brag too much of their marksmanship, else they might have to pay dearly for it yet. Take the advise of your friend. JUMBO.

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A Crash and a Fire.

PITTSBURG, Dec. 1.—An unusually destructive freight wreck occurred on the Cleveland and Pittsburg railroad, at Summitvile, 70 miles from Pittsburg, about 11 o'clock last night. The east bound frieght, No. 16, was running along on schedule time enroute to this city. When near Summitville the first section parted. The two portions were run together again and the locomotive was backed up to make a new coupling. Before the train was ready to pull out and continue on its course, the second section which was following closely, rounded the curve. It was a heavy train and had attained such an impetus that the engingeer wass unable to check its speed. It crashed into the first section with terrific force. Nearly all the cars on both of the trains were thrown off the track. The two heavy freight locomotives were hurled over on their sides and in another moment were partially hidden from view by the debris of the broken cars and their contents, which were heaped around them.

A few moments after the wreck occurred the cars caught fire. The flames spread so rapidly that the entire mass of cars, merchandise and locomotives were enveloped by fire. There were no crews at hand to extinguish the fire, and it gradually subsided for want of fuel. The locomotives were so badly damaged as to be rendered useless. Sixteen frieght cars and one caboose were destroyed by the fire. Ten of the cars were empty, one was loaded with flour and feed, one with onions, one with fire clay and three with iron ore. A car load of hides was saved from the flames. The trainmen of the first section were out on the track when the collision occurred and they escaped uninjured. The crew of the second section also succeeded in escaping unhurt.

IT GOT HERE.

The Cold-wave Man No Longer Melancholy and Dejected.

The cold-wave man can now laugh all over his broad countenance like the jolly moon on a frosty night. If he hasn't got his work in at last, no one ever did since the world begun. There is something like business about the cold snap this time. It doesn't come sickly and feeble, with its back half broken, and flit away in the dead of night, but it comes with a defiance and a stiff back that makes people stoop to it with deference. Weather like this inspires a sentiment of respect in the people. It has the quality of being genuine and free from any nonsense. In the night the wind blew in a gale from the northwest with a force that made the windows rattle, shutters bang, and tin roofs howl. It was a bad night for sleep. It got colder on the principle of geometrical progression. Every hour was nearly twice as cold as the hour before. Yesterday morning it felt like genuine winter. The cars rolled along with a hollow sound, the air nipped noses and ears, and it took the ordinary thoughtless person to be out of doors not much over five or ten minutes to find out how cold it was. Yesterday morning was the coldest we have had this year, and the cold wave authorities have had the satisfaction of hitting it for once. The rapid changes in temperature which have occurred at intervals through the fall months are unprecedented for frequency, and it is particulary severe on persons exposed. Car drivers, conductors and policemen are most disposed to howl over the ingratitude of the weather, but their moanings are of no avail.—*Patriot*.

DYING FROM EXPOSURE.

A Woman Falls From a Bridge and Unable to Walk, Freezes to Death.

READING, Pa., Dec. 2.—Polly Stump aged about 55 years, was found dead near the Schuylkill and Lehigh Railroad at Lenhartsville, this county. She was on her way home from the village store, and was walking on the railroad, when she fell through a bridge and broke her leg. After the accident she crawled on her hands and knees about two hundred yards when she became exhausted and could drag herself no farther, owing to weakness and her lacerated hands. Night coming on, she laid down, with the temperature at ten degrees above zero, and died before morning. When her body was found foul play was at first suspected. Squire Leiby immediately summoned a jury, who rendered a verdict this morning that deceased came to her death from cold and exposure after falling from the bridge.

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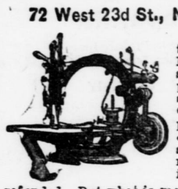
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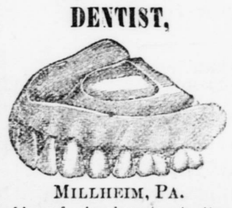
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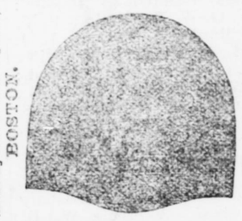
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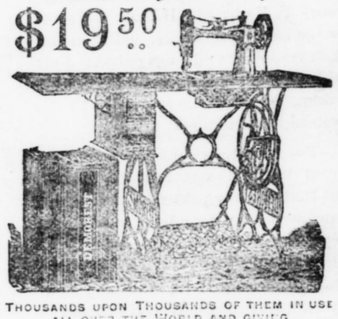
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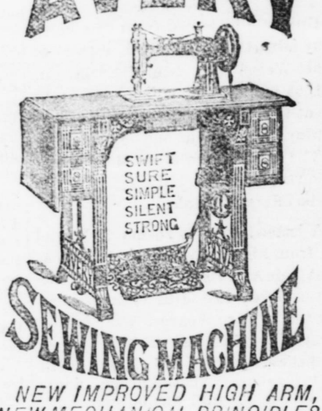

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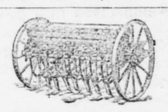
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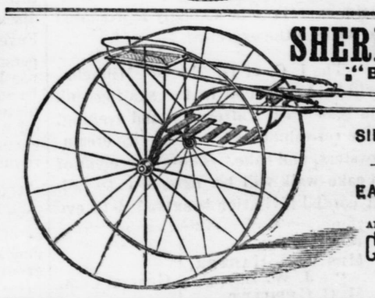
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